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EXPLOSION KILLS A MAN AND HORSES

MONT FOUTY BLOWN TO ATOMS
BY BIG CHARGE OF NITRO-
GLYCERINE.

237 Quarts of the Deadly Stuff Lets Go
Two Miles From Louisi, While Be-
ing Removed From the Magazine by
a Professional Well Shooter.

Shortly before 8 o'clock last Monday morning Monte Fouty, an oil well shooter in the employ of the Southern Torpedo Company, of Parkersburg, W. Va., was torn to pieces by the explosion of 237 quarts of nitroglycerine. The accident occurred at the magazine used by the company for storing the explosive demanded by the various oil wells in that neighborhood. Fouty left Louisi about six o'clock that morning, driving a two-horse team owned by James Vinson, livery man of this city. The horses were torn into fragments and nothing was left of the wagon except a few widely scattered pieces. The noise of the explosion was heard for many miles. But few persons had any idea what had caused it, and on account of the blasting that had been done on the N. & W. railroad a mile or so below town in removing a slip on the track it did not attract any special attention. Two or three persons in town, however, knowing of the glycerine being where it was, surmised the true cause of the terrible report and immediately left for the scene. Arriving at the place they at once knew from the absence of the magazine and the immense hole in the ground what had happened. Of the body of Mr. Fouty nothing locally could be found. Here and there at widely scattered intervals was a fragment of human flesh showing what had happened. These remains were gathered together, making possibly a double handful, of what had been a robust man in the prime of life. They were brought to Louisi and placed in a casket, and accompanied as far as Huntington by undertaker Snyder, were shipped Monday night to Branchland, West Va., which was the last home of the deceased. Fouty lived in Louisi about three years ago, occupying what is known as the old M. E. Church parsonage. He was between 50 and 55 years of age and was survived by a widow and five children.

He was an excellent man in the business in which he was engaged, having been so employed for nearly 20 years. He had the reputation of being skillful and careful in his work. When he left here with the team in the morning it was his intention to take a load of the dangerous stuff to a well on the land of John Yates, a distance of some three or four miles from the scene of the explosion, where it was to have been used on Monday to shoot a well that had been drilled by the Big Blaine Oil company. The cause of the explosion, of course, is mere conjecture. The tracks of the wagon showed that it had been driven up to the magazine. The magazine was a box-like structure built of heavy boards. The effects of the explosion were manifested for a radius of several miles, windows being blown out and houses shaken. The magazine was on the land of Mr. Wallace, a part of the old Arnett farm, not far from the head of the Illinois Branch, some 2½ or 3 miles by the road from Louisi. The house closest to the scene of the disaster was occupied by Wm. Elkers. Mr. Elkers was at the time hitching up a team of horses and he and both horses were thrown to the ground by the force of the explosion, but were not hurt. The size of the hole made by the nitroglycerine is variously estimated, one party saying it was big enough to hold the C. & O. depot at this place. Another says it is about 20 feet in diameter and five or six feet deep. The team was one that had made the trip on various occasions before and was a very valuable one, being worth, according to the estimate of its owner at least \$400. It had frequently been driven by Dick Peterman of this place and it had been driven up to the magazine. The magazine was a box-like structure built of heavy boards.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

The City Council met Tuesday evening, March 7, with all members present but H. E. Evans. The following claims were allowed:

Louisiana Water & Improvement company \$80.00, W. M. Yates \$2.30, Albert Murray \$15.00. The Marshal was ordered to keep all the street crossings clean, and notify everybody not to throw any papers, sticks or anything upon the streets, and if they do the ordinance will be strictly enforced.

EIGHT NEW WELLS IN ESTILL

The past week has proved a record breaker in point of good completions and deals involving big sums of money. In fact, the eight wells completed since our last home show good for 25 to 100 barrels. Perhaps the best well in the lot was drilled in by Elton, Hump & Duff, and showed a production of 100 barrels in 10 hours pumping. The wells completed the past week are located in various sections of the field, and the fact that not a single dry hole was started the new one correctly.

M. E. CHURCH.

Sunday school 9:00 a. m. Preaching 10:30 a. m. Subject—"Inward Truth." Psalm 51:6. Preaching 6:45 p. m. Subject—"Power of the Will." Eph. 6:10. Prayer meeting Wednesday 6:45 p. m.

CHOIR PRACTICE FRIDAY 7:00 p. m.

Ladies Aid will not meet any more until after the revival. N. H. YOUNG, Pastor.

COAL MAGNATE ILL.

N. V. James, West Virginia Operator, Reported in Serious Condition.

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BIG SANDY NEWS.

Aut inveniam viam, aut faciam.

LOUISA, LAWRENCE COUNTY, KENTUCKY, MARCH 10, 1916.

To Correct
Catarrh
avoid
snuffs and vapors,
Nourish
your system with
Scott's
Emulsion

M. F. CONLEY, Publisher.

INJURED BY THE FALL OF AN ELEVATOR.

By a fall of a freight elevator in the Snyder Hardware establishment, formerly occupied by the Snyder Bros., on Tuesday morning two persons, George Plecklemer and Henry E. Evans, both of this city, were painfully and severely injured. They had been loading the elevator on the second floor with glass and other articles and were just about to step off the elevator when it fell to the first floor. Mr. Plecklemer was badly injured about the head. He was able to go to the hospital where it was found that the scalp had been badly lacerated and bruised on the left side of the head, making a very ugly wound. It was dressed by Dr. York and the injured man went home. His injury, which is very painful, will lay him up for some time, is not considered dangerous. The injuries sustained by Mr. Evans are very serious and may possibly make him a cripple for life. The left knee sustained a forward dislocation and the knee cap was cut loose from its attachment below the knee, altogether making the injury a very bad one to handle. The large ligament below the knee was cut entirely through, almost as cleanly as if it had been done by a knife. Mr. Evans thinks this was done by the violent contact of his leg with the edge of the box. His injuries were dressed by Drs. York and Troutman and the patient is doing as well as could possibly be expected. He passed a very bad night Tuesday, but is now resting somewhat more comfortably. It is supposed that the accident was caused by the loss or breaking of the pin somewhere in the machinery that controlled the running of the elevator.

HAY-CYRUS.

MARRIAGE OF A DAUGHTER OF COUNTY COURT CLERK.

Married, Tuesday, March 7, at the home of the bride, Miss Adeline Hay, daughter of the Rev. M. A. Hay, to Mr. Landony Cyrus, of Smoky Valley. The Rev. N. H. Young, pastor of the M. E. Church, was the officiating minister. The bride is a very attractive and intelligent young woman. For a long time she had been the efficient deputy county clerk of the Lawrence county court, doing her work correctly and rapidly. She is a fine typewriter, accurate and quick. She will be greatly missed in the office and in the home where she was an affectionate daughter.

The groom is a fine young fellow, slender, industrious and intelligent. The young people have the best wishes of their many friends. Each of the couple is 21 years old.

CONFERENCE MISSIONARY MEETINGS AT ASHLAND.

The annual meeting of the missionary societies of the M. E. Church South, Western Virginia Conference, will be held at Ashland beginning to-day, March 10th, and closing at noon next Tuesday.

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TELEGRAPH OPERATOR MEETS INSTANT DEATH

W. H. MAGGARD ELECTROCUTED AT C. & O. DEPOT AT PRESTONSBURG.

W. Harrison Maggard, a telegraph operator at Prestonsburg, employed by the C. & O. railway, was electrocuted at nine o'clock Wednesday night while on duty at the station. Death was instantaneous.

He was signalling a freight train by the use of an electric light suspended by a cord from the ceiling, holding the bulb in his left hand. At the same time he grasped a lever controlling the block signals. This lever was heavily charged with an electric current and in taking hold of it he completed a circuit which sent him into eternity.

The current evidently came from heavily charged wires crossed with those leading into the station, said to have been the line carrying the electric power supplied to Prestonsburg by the Consolidated Coal company's plant. The heavy storms probably displaced the line.

Maggard was a popular young operator, 27 years old and unmarried. He had worked at various points along the Big Sandy division during the past few years, but for five years has been located at Prestonsburg, where his father also lives. The family formerly lived at Harold, Ky.

Earlier in the day Wm. Bentley, a Huntington traveling salesman, leaned against the same block levers and was so badly shocked that physicians worked with him for an hour or more. He was able to return to Huntington, but is to-day reported to be suffering considerably.

VIRGINIA VOTES STATEWIDE PROHIBITION.

Richmond, Va., March 6.—The lower branch of the Virginia general assembly Saturday night passed the Statewide prohibition bill 85 to 5. The bill has passed the Senate. One quart of whiskey a month is the limit placed by the bill on importation of intoxicants from other states. The law will go into operation November 1.

DAVID HUGHES SORELY AFFLICTED.

Mr. David Hughes, of Busseyville, has for the third time within a period of seven months been called to suffer the loss by death of one of his family, his son, Charley Hughes having died on Saturday last. He was an excellent young man 25 years old. All the deaths were caused by tuberculosis. Mr. Hughes has the sympathy of all who know him.

PRINCESS WOMAN DEAD AT 110.

Mr. Mrs. Anna Moore, who is known to have been more than one hundred and ten years old, died Tuesday evening at her home in Princess. The deceased is survived by several children.

TRIM YOUR FRUIT TREES WITHOUT DELAY

A VERY PRACTICAL AND TIMELY ARTICLE FROM THE COUNTY AGENT.

Louisiana, Ky., March 9, 1916.

Editor Big Sandy News.

Dear Sir:—Every season of the year presents to the farmer a particular field of work, and his various products and profits are dependent upon the readiness with which he grasps the situation.

Now is the time for the farmer to renovate the old orchard and to start the new one correctly.

Renovation usually fails under the following heads: Pruning, fertilizing, plowing and cultivating, cover crops, spraying. Pruning being of great importance I will treat of it briefly.

Pruning requires more study and a greater variation than any of the others. Each tree is going to be a problem by itself. Looking at it in this way the tree may be pruned normally, or it may be pruned severely, or it may be "dehorned," that is the top cut back severely. If the top is not over tall and there is not much dead wood in it then it should be given only a normal pruning.

If the top is very high and there are very few water-sprouts lower down then the top ought to receive a severe pruning to start more water-sprouts in order that it may be dehorned later.

It would be a mistake to dehorn at once, because there are not enough water-sprouts to take care of the food sent up by the roots.

It is a common mistake to dehorn trees which are really too good for such drastic treatment. If a tree has a reasonably good top it is much better to do the work gradually. The owner thus secures some return from his orchard each year and still the trees are improving all the time.

Having decided on which of the three types of treatment is to be meted out to the tree we begin our pruning. A safe rule to follow is to go over the entire tree and take out the dead wood so as to give a clear field for better judgment in taking out other limbs. Branches affected with blight should come out altogether. Whea such limbs

have been removed the remaining branches should be pruned in such manner as to give the tree balance leaving all the fruit spurs possible for the future crop.

In this renovation work the operator has to be very careful about the wounds which are made in pruning. In particular, no stubs should be left and all cuts should be painted or tarred over to facilitate the healing process.

All trees should now be sprayed with a lime-sulphur solution, which is a clean up spray preparatory to later spraying. It is the only thing that will put the trees in a healthy condition and every person with a small orchard can well afford to spray. Barrel pumps can be purchased at very reasonable prices from most dealers. In buying a pump never get one with less than 100 pounds of pressure, 200 pound is better.

This subject can be expanded indefinitely but in conclusion to the farmer I wish to say, do not put off what you can do to-day in your orchard till to-morrow, for the unpruned tree, insects and fungi have no labor laws to govern working hours.

Very respectfully,
A. C. Y., County Agent.

THE MISSIONARY TEA.

The Missionary Tea given at the home of Miss Elizabeth Conley by the Young People's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, last Saturday afternoon was a very pleasing and successful affair. The refreshments offered were very nice, daintily served, and highly enjoyed. The patronage given was quite liberal, a nice addition to the society's treasury being made.

DEATH OF MRS. RICE.

Wife of Ezra Rice Passes Away at Sanitarium.

Mrs. Ezra Rice, who had been sick for some time in a sanitarium at Dayton, O., died there on Sunday, March 5th. The remains were brought to the old home place near the mouth of two miles for burial, which was made Tuesday. Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. H. B. Hewlett. Mrs. Rice had been sick for a long time in New Richmond, O., where they were living. Mr. Rice being employed on the dam at that place. She had been in the hospital since January. She leaves her husband and six children, the youngest being about a year and a half old. Mrs. Rice was the daughter of the late James Calvin Frazier, who died a few weeks ago. She was an excellent woman, being a good wife and mother.

THE JUVENILE MISSIONARY SOCIETY ENTERTAINMENT.

The entertainment given on last Friday evening by the Juvenile Missionary Society was a very delightful affair. The young people conducted themselves very well indeed, rendering in fine style a varied and beautiful program. It was under the able direction of Mrs. L. E. McElroy and the pleasing way in which those in her care rendered this program reflected great credit upon her as instructor and trainer. Each one who took a part in this entertainment conducted himself or herself so nicely that it would not be right to single out any one by words of praise. The exercises were well received by a large and highly pleased audience. Quite a neat little sum was the financial result of this affair. Miss Opal Spencer rendered valuable service in a musical way while Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace, Jr., was useful in arranging for the entertainment.

RECORDS FOR LONGEVITY.

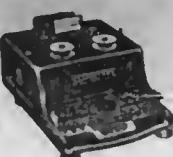
The Webbs of Letcher-co., descendants of Daniel Boone, boast of another remarkable family—the progeny of the late "Uncle" Enoch Webb, whose family of six is living at an average age of 80 years each. "Aunt" Jennie Webb Hulbrook is nearing her ninety-second milestone, "Uncle" Ned is 90, Enoch 84, Sam A. 80, Dutch 70 and Joseph N. 65. Until a few weeks ago there were seven of the family. Riley Webb died in Magoffin-co. at the age of 82 years.

DEATH AT PRICHARD, W. VA.

John Chinnill, n. boy 14 years old, died at Prichard, W. Va., a few days ago, after a brief illness.

SUDDEN DEATH OF ZOLL BALL, OF MATTIE.

HIS W



How Machines do Our Shorthand, Our Bookkeeping, Our Adding, Our Typing, Our Talking,

No hand work can be as accurate as Machine Work. Our Shorthand Machine—the Stenotype prints shorthand in just the same letters you learned when you were six years old. No hieroglyphics—just plain A, B, Cs, which anyone can read.

I have you seen it? Well you have something of interest still to see. Make your mind up to look into that little device to-day. It will pay you to do it.

Don't stand still. Don't go backwards. Listen to what you said about the Adding Machine, a few years ago.

Write us about your wishes, your ambitions. You will not be the first boy or girl, by many hundreds, we have helped solve the problem of "How to make a living."

Are you thinking of training for a profession or a trade?

We used to say "The quickest way to success in any profession is learning Shorthand." We still say so, but by all means learn it the "Machine Way."

Our School has added Shorthand Machines just as we added years ago. Typewriters, Adding Machines, Mimeographs. And we have not forgotten to keep them MODERN, etc., because the public demands new and up-to-date facilities for making the busy man's work easy.

Modern Bookkeeping is very little like what it was thirty years ago.

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THE TIMES.

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LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY

Exclusive Agents for the Stenotype, and Teachers of MODERN Methods of BOOKKEEPING.

MATTIE.

The sick of our community are improving.

Miss Jettie Hays attended the birthday party given by Miss Ruth Justice Sunday.

Dr. W. A. Hays was visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ball recently.

Miss Victoria and Eagle Wellman, Lulu and Minnie Moore were the guests of Mrs. Tilda Wellman Sunday.

D. M. Justice was visiting C. C. Hays Sunday.

Born, March 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Moore, a fine boy. Also, to Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Moore, Jr., a fine girl.

We were sorry to hear of the death of Charley Hughes. Several from here attended his burial.

Married, on March 4, Mr. Farris Moore of this place to Miss Nola Cordell of Cordell. We wish them a long and happy life.

HIAWATHA.

IN FIVE MINUTES! NO INDIGESTION, GAS OR SOUR, ACID STOMACH

THE MOMENT "PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN" REACHES THE STOMACH ALL DISTRESS GOES.

"Really does" put bad stomach in order—"really does" overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness in five minutes—that just—that—makes Pape's Diapepsin the largest selling stomach regulator in the world. If what you eat ferments into stubborn lumps, you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food and acid; head is dizzy and aches; breath foul; tongue coated; your insides filled with bile and indigestible waste, remember the moment "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's truly astonishing—almost marvelous, and the joy is its harmlessness.

A large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin will give you a hundred dollars' worth of satisfaction or your druggist hands you your money back.

It's worth its weight in gold to men and women who can't get their stomachs regulated. It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or night. It's the quiekest, surest and most harmless stomach regulator in the world.

TRAM.

Mrs. Alvilda Darby and grandson are visiting relatives here.

A. J. Stratton entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Lee Layne and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Stratton, Mrs. Alvilda Darby and little grandson, Curtis George.

Bertha Layne was the guest of Joda Stratton Saturday night.

Mrs. R. E. Stanley, who has been sick, is improving.

Fanny Layne called on friends at Tom's creek Saturday.

A. C. Stratton and James Lewis were business visitors at Prestonsburg last week.

Sarah A. Leslie is contemplating a visit to Jenkins.

Henry Davis, who has been visiting relatives at Potter, Ky., has returned.

WHY YOU ARE NERVOUS

The nervous system is the alarm system of the human body.

In perfect health we hardly realize that we have a network of nerves, but when health is ebbing, when strength is declining, the same nervous system gives the alarm in headaches, tiredness, dreamful sleep, irritability and unless corrected, leads straight to breakdown.

To correct nervousness, Scott's Bismuth is exactly what you should take; its rich nutrient gets into the blood and rich blood feeds the tiny nerve-cells while the whole system responds to its refreshing tonic force. It is free from alcohol.

Scott & Bowes, Bloomfield, N.J.

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A BLUE EYED GIRL.

W. T. KANE.

In the month of February, 1916, death reaped a rich harvest. Among the many who paid the debt W. T. Kane was taken, and when the news flashed over the country that he was dead what a shock to the people in general, and what a heavy blow it must have been to his immediate family, as a death so sudden as this comes as a blow.

The writer attended the funeral of this well respected man, for he was a good citizen, good father, husband and neighbor. By his energy and up to date ideas he had succeeded in making things comfortable about him, and just when this was accomplished by years of toil and mental strain, he heard the call and answered to it on the evening of the 21st day of February.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. L. E. McElroy, of Louisa. After reading an appropriate scripture lesson he used as a basis for his remarks, the fitting and consoling words, "I am the resurrection and the life, and he that believeth in me though he were dead, yet shall he live." The eloquent minister paid a high tribute to the life and character of the dead man, and the words of consolation to the bereaved family were spoken sweetly and tenderly, and his admonition to the surviving friends and neighbors for a better and higher life were couched in the most beautiful language it has ever been my privilege to hear.

With silent tread the body was carried to the graveyard, overlooking Fallsburg, and we laid it down to rest awhile, and as we turn with moist eyes from his last resting place, let us stand for a moment in the chamber of reflection and understand that life is no common thing, but a divine bestowment and may we who are still spared, with hearts deep fixed in faith accept this sad taking off as a means of good, and if we strive to make use of our opportunities, living up to the full capacity of helpfulness and the divine plan, the doors of eternity will swing wide open for all such and receive a hearty welcome.

A. O. CARTER.

HULETTE, W. VA.

D. Mart Hager, who has been spending the winter with his daughter, Mrs. W. M. Greenwade at Prestonsburg, Ky., came down Monday for a week's visit with his sister, Mrs. O. S. Lour. He left Sunday morning for his home in Omak, Wash.

Mrs. Mach Balle and children were visiting Mrs. Sarah Lour Monday.

The stock visited the home of Sam Wilsons last Sunday and left with Mr. and Mrs. Riley Gross, the baby boy.

The store at this place has changed hands. John Mullins has bought the store recently from Bill Fletcher and is doing good business.

L. E. Cooksey will move his store

BIG SANDY NEWS.

Got Rid of My Corns With Magic "Gets-It"

Simplest Corn Cure in the World—No Pain, No Fuss, Now, Sure Way.

When corns make you almost "all who's going on," when you've soaked them and picked them and cut them, when corn-swelling

at the Tabor's creek church.

Regular church meeting every fourth Saturday and Sunday in each month.

J. H. Lour went to Fort Gay Wednesday to see his sister, Mrs. S. L. Frasher, who has been very sick.

Mrs. Blanche Reader of Fort Gay was calling at Mrs. O. L. Lour's last week.

DAISY.

YOU CAN'T FIND ANY DANDRUFF, AND HAIR STOPS COMING OUT

SAVE YOUR HAIR! MAKE IT THICK, WAVY, GLOSSY AND BEAUTIFUL AT ONCE.

Try as you will, after an application of Dandruff, you can't find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair in your scalp will not do it, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks when you see new hair, it is well known that first as but really new hair growing all over the scalp.

A little oil immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference between oil, faded, brittle and straggly, just to stain a cloth with Dandruff, then carefully draw it off your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and lasting. Your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance, an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Dandruff from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment. A 25-cent bottle will double the beauty of your hair.

SUGAR LOAF.

Church at this place was largely attended last Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. A. O. Burchett is on the sick list this week.

The stock visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Burchett last week and left, bounding son. He is a fine looking boy and John has named him Billy Sunday.

A. J. Dillon, Jr., passed through here one day last week with a fine drove of cattle enroute to Mt. Sterling.

A. O. Burchett, Jr., was visiting at Henry Sherman's Sunday.

Revs. Sam Dillon and L. D. Merritt and Billy May preached very interesting sermons at the Stratton chapel Sunday night.

Chaffy Burchett was visiting at Ben Hunt's Sunday.

Jim Dillon made a trip to Cow creek one day last week.

Miss Lucy B. Burchett, who has been on the sick list for the past week, is improving.

Lee Merritt visited at A. O. Burchett's Sunday.

There will be church at this place Tuesday night by Bro. Wright.

Mrs. A. J. Dillon, Jr., was visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Belle Dillon, Monday.

Glen Burchett was visiting home folks on Green creek through Saturday night and Sunday.

Rev. D. B. Harris, of Green creek, will hold services on Buffalo the following week.

Maude Burchett gave a nice candy party Saturday night.

Glen Burchett is on the sick list at this writing.

Misses Gypsy and Kathryn Burchett were visiting Mrs. F. W. Walker Monday.

Mrs. Bill Burchett was visiting her sister, Mrs. A. O. Burchett Monday.

Mrs. F. W. Walker was calling on Mrs. J. D. Burchett Sunday.

Ole Burchett, of Green creek, was visiting his sister, Mrs. Fred Walker in this place Saturday night.

Barlowe May is very low with measles, but we think there is some chance for his recovery.

TREY OF HEARTS.

CLIFFORD.

Church here Sunday was largely attended.

Mrs. Nola Reynolds is very ill at this writing.

Mrs. Lizzie Eklins and Norma Bat-

cheson.

SAVES DAUGHTER

Advice of Mother no Doubt Prevents Daughter's Untimely End.

Ready, Ky.—"I was not able to do anything for nearly six months," writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher of this place, "and was down in bed for three months.

I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles.

Our family doctor told my husband he could not do me any good, and he had to give up. We tried another doctor, but he did not help me.

At last, my mother advised me to take Cardui, the woman's tonic. I thought it was no use for I was nearly dead and nothing seemed to do me any good. But I took eleven bottles, and now I am able to do all of my work and my own washing.

I think Cardui is the best medicine in the world. My weight has increased, and I look the picture of health."

If you suffer from any of the ailments peculiar to women, get a bottle of Cardui today. Delay is dangerous. We know it will help you, for it has helped so many thousands of other weak women in the past 50 years.

At all drugstores.

By Rev. L. E. McElroy, of Louisa.

Advise Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Agents.

Advertisers on our date and 64 page book, Home Treatment for Women, in plain wrapper, N.C. 125.

L. E. Cooksey will move his store

Sherman Nunnery has returned from a trip to Prestonsburg.

Len Layne was here last week.

Mrs. Rebecca Layne was visiting Mrs. Belle Lour one day last week.

Andy Caldwell was here last week.

Miss Sadie B. Lour was visiting Miss Madge Layne last Sunday.

Mrs. John Cecil was visiting Mrs. Belle Lour Saturday evening.

J. H. Caldwell spent Saturday night with his father.

Mrs. Betti Burchett of Winter, Ky., was visiting her sister, Mrs. Belle Lour Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Belle Lour took supper with her son, J. H. Lour Saturday.

J. G. Cecil, who has been sick, is improving.

Mr. John Caldwell was visiting home to the Saturday and Sunday.

Miss S. A. Adair, who has been sick for some time, is better.

Mrs. Madge Layne and Mrs. Belle Lour had dinner with Mrs. J. H. Lour Sunday.

Mrs. Madge Layne and Miss Lulu Cecil were visiting Mrs. Sadie Lour Sunday.

A PRETTY DAY.

TRACT PLANT STARTED.

Whitesburg, Ky., Feb. 24.—Armor & Company are starting work on a large extract plant at St. Paul, east of here on the Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio railroad in Wise county, where they will manufacture tanning acids, drawing their timber supply from both Southwest Virginia and Eastern Kentucky. Chestnut will be largely used.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

WM. TAYLOR, of Glenwood, announces that he will be a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the next primary election at which candidates for Sheriff are to be nominated.

We are authorized to announce Congressman W. J. FIELDS, of Carter-co., as a candidate for re-election, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary to be held in August, 1916. Your support is respectfully solicited.

Friday, March 10, 1916.

Langley and Powers, Kentucky Congressmen, true to their partisanship, were among the few insurgents in Congress who voted against maintaining the rights of American citizens on the high seas. A considerable majority of the Republican members voted for the United States in the crisis that presented itself to Congress this week.

Congress, regardless of party lines, this week gave President Wilson a sweeping majority in his request for their support in his contention with European countries. A few unpatriotic fellows in Congress had made enough noise against the President's foreign policies to encourage Germany and England in the belief that his action in standing for the rights of our citizens was not backed by the sentiment of Congress. Europe knows better now. Those warring countries have indisputable evidence now as to where this country stands. It was a great victory for the President.

TUSCOLA.

The sudden changes in the weather have brought a train of evils in the way of colds, coughs, grippe and pneumonia.

Mrs. Kittle Jordan was quite sick Sunday.

The stork made a pleasant visit to Bill Dean's Saturday night and left a fine boy. It is wonderful what a smile Bill wears.

J. H. Frasher went to Fallsville Saturday and returned Sunday without his horse.

George Fraley was at Olovile on business Sunday.

A. M. Watson took a fine drove of mules to West Va. for use in the mines and general work last week.

Milt is dealing quite extensively in mules.

Adin Jordan defied the mud and went to Dennis Sunday.

Luther Cunningham caught a fine groundhog one day last week.

Ben Vanover's little child is quite sick. She has scrofula of the neck and is suffering very much.

Charley Ries is the latest huckster on the road. He passes every Saturday.

James Prichard traded his fine mare to two young mules last week. He now has four young mules.

Richard Queen, a farmer resident and teacher of this county but now a citizen of Portsmouth, O., was here last week representing Joseph G. Reed Co. of Portsmouth. Mr. Queen stopped to see his father Isaac Queen while here.

Merchants are not buying many goods now on account of the roads. They are very, very bad in places and men will not risk their teams on the road.

We have just read a decision of the Appellate Court where a majority vote is all that is needed to vote bonds to build roads. Good decision think we. OLD LEM JUCKLENS.

ROVE CREEK.

Sunday school at this place every Sunday.

Prayer meeting here every Thursday night by J. H. Ramey.

Mary Stump was in Zelda this week.

Ed Stump has moved on our creek to make his future home.

Will Curnutt has moved to Buchanan to live.

Sophia Stump and Mont Day attended Sunday school at this place Sunday.

Billie Peterman was visiting Eva Vanhorn Sunday.

Pearl Vanhorn went down our creek this morning on his way to Zelda.

Lou Smith was in Buchanan Sunday.

Cela Stump and Sada Vanhorn attended prayer meeting at this place last Thursday night.

Nearly everybody is sick in this community.

YOUR FRIEND.

IT MUST BE TRUE.

LOUISA READERS MUST COME TO THAT CONCLUSION.

It is not the telling of a single case in Louisa, but a number of citizens testify. Endorsement by people you know bears the stamp of truth. The following is one of the public statements made in Louisa about Doan's Kidney Pills:

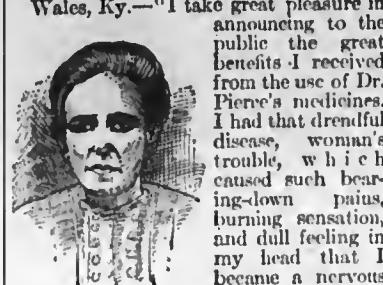
George Waldeck, tailor, Cross St., Louisa, says: "My kidney were irregular in action and the kidney secretions were unnatural. My back also ached. Doan's Kidney Pills stopped the pain and regulated the kidney action."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get the name of Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Doan's Kidney Pills—stop the pain and regulate the kidney action."

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WELL-KNOWN KENTUCKY WOMAN SPEAKS.

A BOON TO WOMANKIND.



Wales, Ky.—"I take great pleasure in announcing to the public the great benefits I received from the use of Dr. Pierce's medicines. I had that dreadful disease, woman's trouble, which caused such bearing-down pains, burning sensation, and dull feeling in my head that I became a nervous wreck. I had five doctors to treat me, all to no avail. I had given up to die and to leave my dear husband and five little girls to the mercy of this world, when at last my husband begged me to try Dr. Pierce's medicines. I weighed 118 pounds when I began their use. I used 18 bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery' and four or five boxes of 'Lotion Tablets'. At the end of the treatment I was well and weighed 163 pounds."—Mrs. RACHEL TACKITT.

When a girl becomes a woman, when a woman becomes a mother, when a woman passes through the changes of middle life, are the three periods of life when health and strength are most needed to withstand the pain and distress often caused by severe organic disturbances.

At these critical times women are best fortified by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, an old remedy of proved worth that keeps the female system regulated and in condition.

Mothers, if your daughters are weak, lack ambition, are troubled with headaches, lassitude and are pale and sickly, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is just what they need to surely bring the bloom of health to their cheeks and make them strong and healthy.

LEETCHER COUNTY AND WHITESBURG.

What is Happening in this Rich Coal Territory of Kentucky.

WHITESBURG, KY., March 8.—The will of the late Ira Fields former commonwealth's attorney and leading mountain man who died February 23, in the Norton Memorial Infirmary of appendicitis, was probated in Letcher county court here Monday. He leaves an estate valued at about \$40,000, with \$10,000 life insurance. Felix G. Fields his oldest son became administrator of the estate.

County Judge Henry T. Day is holding a very important term of county court this week with a number of cases to be tried. The court will continue the most of the week. Following Judge Day will call a session of the Fiscal Court for the purpose of working out plans as to good road work and the calling of an election for voting bonds. It is expected that the election will be set down for sometime in May.

A pretty wedding took place here a few days ago when Mr. Howard Blanton, aged 17, son of Dora Tackett was married after a brief courtship to Miss Maggie Bates, aged about 14, the daughter of the late B. M. Bates. They will reside at Sergeant.

One of the most interesting elopements took place in this county last week, when Miss Myrtle Pendleton, 17 years old, daughter of Joe D. Pendleton, a Colly creek farmer walked six miles over rough roads to join her lover, Richard Herald, 35, blind musician at Cowan creek, after which they eloped across Cumberland and Black Mountains into Wise, Va., where they were married.

Parental objections of the most serious kind brought about the elopement which caused a wide sensation. The Pendleton girl was the most prominent young woman in the county.

The third serious freight wreck to occur on the L. & N. within ten days occurred near Chavell below here Saturday when seven coal cars were smashed and the track damaged a considerable distance. All traffic was tied up during the day, although transfers were made of express, passenger and mail. The L. & N. it seems are hard hit of late.

At Jenkins a few days ago Miss Pearl Boggs, 17, operator in the telephone exchange, daughter of Engineer John B. Boggs and a popular young woman, a recent winner of a prize in the Palatine Herald's contest, was married to Mr. Estes Thornberry, aged 23, of Dickenson-co., Va. They will reside in Jenkins.

Peter Adams, aged 19, young teacher of this county was married a few days ago to Miss Polly Polley, aged 15, daughter of J. F. Polley of Bert creek.

Marriage license were issued during the week as follows: Travis Newsome, 22, to Miss Vannie McWay, 18; Isaac Sexton, 20, to Sarah Bowens, 22; Leander Watts, 26, to Charlotte Day, 25; Stephen Whitaker, 22, to Mary Banks, 21.

Some of the most severe winds to strike this section in months prevailed, practically all the afternoon and night Monday doing much damage to telephone and telegraph lines, pullings, fencing, etc., while in some section quite a lot of valuable timber was blown down and uprooted.

Attorney O. E. Allen of Big Stone Gap, Va., formerly of Whitesburg is here employed in abstracting by a big corporation in the east who plan some developments in this section. Mr. Allen will be here for some time.

WHITESBURG, KY., March 5.—Louis Pfluehr, writer and historian, of Chillicothe who is making a strong campaign against the illegal traffic, sale and use of whiskey, fostering a Progressive Pledge Temperance Campaign in Whitesburg and Letcher county is reaching out into the country after securing one hundred or more life pledges in and around Whitesburg. He is

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billed this week to make addresses in Fleming, Sebo and Neon in the coal fields of this county, where, at the latter place there has been considerable whiskey traffic within the last few months, resulting in the last grand jury making many indictments. Mr. Pfluehr promises an interesting program for the three places, and it is expected that large crowds will be on hand. There is much interesting manifest in Mr. Pfluehr's work, and it is known his efforts will be fruitful of good results. Let us hope there's a better day dawning in Letcher county, when the curse of strong drink and the other vices will be known no more.

The Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Co. has linesmen between Whitesburg and McRoberts in the coal fields completing the work of putting up across arms, straightening the poles of the railroad company, etc., preparatory for the early stringing of the Cumberland wires into the coal fields. Following this work the wires will come giving long distance connection with the whole outside world. The coming of the Cumberland's lines into the coal fields section will fill a long felt want and prove a great convenience to our business interests. It is understood that the lines will be extended on from McRoberts via Jenkins into Pikeville from Shelby station via Elkhorn City, "The Breaks" and so on to points in Southwestern Virginia and East Tennessee, forming very important connections.

A very important term of the Letcher Quarterly Court is in session here this week with Judge Henry T. Day presiding. A number of important cases are to be disposed of. During the week the fiscal court will also hold an important session looking toward good road work in Letcher county, and the early calling of an election for voting bonds for the further prosecution of good roads work. Other counties in Eastern Kentucky are following Letcher's example of building good road and a number of elections are to be held within the next sixty days.

Letcher county is making preparations to start off on the work of road building to the near future, having sold her bonds to a Cincinnati concern.

A party of railroad officials, aboard a special train over the Louisville & Nashville, including R. M. Stark, Supt. Traffic department, M. Sergeant, Supt. Transportation and others, went over the L. & N. branch during the week on a trip of inspection. They found the entire roadbed in splendid condition and it is said they will recommend that about April 1, the putting on of a through train between McRoberts and Louisville, the metropolis of the State, the train to leave each end about 6 o'clock in the evening, making the distance in about nine hours. The special train will carry a sleeper, dining car, in fact everything up to the minute.

It will prove a great convenience. Preparatory to handling the vast amount of coal soon to be coming out of the big coal fields of Letcher county it is stated here that the L. & N. is soon to place extremely heavy engines, the heaviest in the country, on the road to facilitate the shipments which has heretofore been handicapped by small engines. Coal mining is rapidly assuming mammoth proportions all over Eastern Kentucky with plants for continued increases.

FLOYD COUNTY'S RECORD FOR WEEK.

News From Prestonsburg and the Surrounding Country.

Carroll Ford, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ford, of this city, died at the Lakeland Sanitarium Sunday morning, March 6. He was brought here Monday night for interment. Tuesday afternoon at one o'clock funeral services were held at his old home by Rev. J. W. Jackson of the M. E. Church South. Mr. Ford is survived by a wife, who was Miss Grace Dingus, daughter of Wm. Dingus, a son, Carroll, Jr., father and mother, three brothers and a sister.

Tuesday afternoon a house in West Prestonsburg, occupied by a family by the name of McGuire blew over during the heavy wind storm. The report is that the wife who received serious injuries, was the only one hurt. Charley will be greatly missed in our community. He leaves a father, step-mother and six half brothers and sisters and a host of friends to mourn the loss. All was done that loving hands could do, but was all in vain. Charley can not come back to you but you can go to meet him. E. H. B.

While looking after some trunks at the depot here Wednesday noon, Wm. Bentley, a well known traveling salesman, fell across a live wire with heavy voltage and was knocked unconscious for a short time.

Circuit court, which had been in session here for four weeks, adjourned Monday. The case of the Commonwealth against Jack Huff and son for the killing of Ben Robinette resulted in a hung jury.

Mrs. W. B. Irvin very delightfully entertained the members of the Ladies Aid Society Wednesday afternoon. After much work had been accomplished a dainty refreshment plate was served.

The Guild Society was entertained by Mrs. C. L. Hutsell at her pretty home on short Third-st.

Jack Davis of the Star Drug Co. left Tuesday for a business trip to Cincinnati.

E. B. Combs is a business visitor in Louisville this week.

Messrs. Bill Wheeler and Clem Stambough of Paintsville spent the weekend here guests of Judge Wheeler.

Mrs. H. A. Borders of Paintsville spent the latter part of the week with her aged mother, Mrs. Susan Porter, who has been sick for some time at the home of her son, J. M. Porter.

Misses Ida and Mildred Jones, two attractive young ladies of Paintsville, Ky., spent the weekend with Miss Ogle Steptoe at the home of Mrs. J. D. May, Jr.

Miss Anna Lee Auxier of Auxier, Ky., was a visitor here Tuesday.

Irvin Ford of Frankfort attended the funeral of his brother, Carroll Ford, here Tuesday. Others that attended

Special Offer

Beautiful Enlarged Portrait for only 19c



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19 cents for a Limited Time Only

A Notable Offer for a limited time only

Bring any small photograph, postal photo, or cabinet picture and while this special limited time offer is in effect, we will enlarge it to a beautiful oval bust style portrait 14x20 inches in size for only 19 cents.

This is a remarkable offer to our customers and we want everyone of them to take advantage of it. The portraits are of the latest and most up-to-date size and style and are real works of art. Every family will be proud to have one or more.

Probably you have a small photo of some one who is gone—mother, father, sister or brother or maybe a near and dear friend. Bring in the small photo at your first opportunity and have an ENLARGED PORTRAIT made of it. We guarantee safe return of your small picture and an exact reproduction in large size of all portraits. These are no strings or red tape connected with this SPECIAL OFFER and you are under no obligations of any kind. As this offer will be for a limited time only, we suggest that you don't delay bringing in the small pictures and securing the ENLARGED PORTRAIT while the offer is open.

We have no portrait solicitors. Don't trust your small photo to strangers.

No mail orders accepted, all photos must be brought to our store.

The Anderson-Newcomb Co. On Third Avenue Huntington, W. Va.

were Atty. B. Vaughan and son, Ron, and Mrs. Fred Howes of Paintsville and Mrs. W. H. Powers of Auxier.

Misses Florence Hereford and Grayce Layne, who are attending school at Pikeville, were guests of home folks over Sunday.

J. W. Stapleton of Dowlas was here Saturday on business.

Oscar Endicott spent Friday in Louisa.

Miss Josephine Harkins is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. L. Howard at Mayville, Ky.

Mr. C. Davenport of Bowling Green is here the guest of his daughter, Mrs. J. L. Spradlin.

Judge and Mrs. Patrick, daughter and son left Tuesday for their home at Salyersville.

IN MEMORY.

On last Saturday night, March 4, 1916, at 9 o'clock the dark banner waved over the home of Mr. David Hughes and called for its victim his son, Charley Jay, aged 25 years, 4 months and 4 days. The funeral services were conducted at the church on Monday by the Revs. Hulette and Booth.

Later the remains were laid to rest in the Piggy burial ground. His death was caused by that dreadful disease, tuberculosis. Charley said he was going to rest where he would meet his mother, brother and two sisters.

We know, dear friends, it was hard to part with Charley, but how soothing the words are, "I'll soon be at rest."

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You Know Him.
An uncoordinated lout
is Peter Pella;
He talks about
His 'um-ber-ella.'
—Cincinnati Enquirer.

John also is
Somewhat to blame;
He says, "Oh, Maudie,
Your friend has come!"
—Columbus Dispatch.

A beautiful line of new spring suits,
hats and wraps at Justice's Store 3-3

J. L. Richmond was sick with tonsilitis last week.

All kinds of pretty new spring goods
are arriving daily at Justice's Store.

W. H. Faulkner has moved from
Buchanan to R. D., Cuttletsburg.

Mrs. S. J. Justice was hostess to the
Flue Club Thursday afternoon.

G. V. Travis has moved from near
Mt. Gilead, W. Va., to Scioto, Ohio.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. Church
was pleasantly entertained Friday
afternoon by Mrs. T. J. Phillips.

Ten thousand frost proof cabbage
plants, 20 cents per hundred. Now
ready to be set out. J. B. CRUTCHFIELD.

George Salyer has moved into the
house formerly used as the parsonage
of the M. E. Church.

Prof. Kennison filled the pulpit of the
M. E. Church, South, last Sunday
morning and evening.

Dr. R. M. Manning and wife, who
were guests of Dr. Fred Millard and
family, returned Monday to their home
in Mt. Sterling.

Eugene Ward, Dick Hawes and Clark
Preston, of Paintsville, were
guests of Louisa friends last Sunday
and Monday.

John Gartin sold two pieces of real
estate this week, one being a three-
room lot adjoining Louisa, to Carl Pick-
lesimer and the other a town lot in the
Thompson addition to Mr. Whitt.

NOTICE.
The Herce Oil & Gas company is
closing up its business and the same
will be dissolved.

JAMES B. ASHWORTH, Pres.

R. G. MOORE, Secretary. 25-41.

FOR SALE OR RENT:—My farm of
108 acres, six miles from Russell,
Greenup Co., good land. Price right
and terms to suit. J. H. WILLIAMS,
Stonington, Ky. 21-24.

Rev. A. M. Dial, formerly of the
Christian church, this city, now of
Louisa, Ky., is in the city visiting rel-
atives and friends. He is looking in
excellent health.—Wilmington News.

Mr. R. T. Cynghan has resigned his
position with the Consolidation Coal
Co. at Van Lear and accepted one at
Blair, W. Va. He will be in charge of
the office of Mr. G. J. Walkenbach.

FOR SALE:—200 acres of good land
on Upper Tygart, one-half cleared, two
houses, three barns, good land, lay
well. Will sell all or divide into two
or more tracts. Call or address, M. J.
EVANS, Upper Tygart, Ky. 25-81.

Miss Minnie Hongland has been sick
for several days. Her place in the
Singer office is filled temporarily by
her sister, Miss Muriel, who had been
visiting in Chattanooga, Tenn., for some
time, and came to Louisa Monday.

STORE FOR SALE:—I offer my
stock of general merchandise for sale
and also the store building and site.
Or, will rent the site to buyer of stock.
One of the best country points on the
N. & W. railway. No store near. G.
W. WORKMAN, Echo, Wayne, coun-
ty, W. Va. 25-214.

Chas. Collinsworth, son of A. Col-
linsworth, of Fallsburg, has typhoid fever
and his condition has been reported
to be quite serious. Just before go-
ing to press we were pleased to learn
that he was somewhat better. He is
16 years old.

FOR SALE:—70 a. farm, 40 a. river
bottom, good frame house, 5 rooms
fitted with gas. This house replaced by
new one 30x45. Brick silo 10x37, ca-
pacity 60 tons, young orchard 4 years
old, one mile from Burnside station.
For price and terms apply to E. D.
COX, Lockwood, Ky. 21-1010.



CONGRESSMAN W. J. FIELDS.

In the NEWS this week appears the
announcement of Congressman Fields
for re-election. He is seeking recogni-
tion from the Democratic party for his
faithful services at Washington. He
has stuck faithfully to his duties at all
times, and has given prompt attention

PERSONAL MENTION.

I. T. McClure was in Ashland Sat-
urday.

Miss Victoria Garred is visiting in
Huntington.

Miss Ruth Conley, of Hager Hill, is
visiting in Louisa.

Elliott Arnett of Spaulding, W. Va.,
was here this week.

J. H. McClure, of Gallup, was a vis-
itor in Louisa Monday.

Jas. E. Rice, of New Richmond, O.,
is in the NEWS office Friday.

Miss Hermia Marcum, of Ceredo, vis-
ited Louisa relatives last week.

Z. T. Frasher, of Doniton, called
at the NEWS office Monday.

Frank Vinson made a business call
at the NEWS office Wednesday.

Ben Burke, of Pikeville, was here
Monday and called at this office.

R. H. Ruggland, of Lexington, was a
business visitor here last Saturday.

Mr. T. N. Huffman and son, Jack, of
Pikeville were visitors in Louisa Mon-
day.

Miss Anna Hager, of Paintsville, was
the guest of Miss Virginie Hager this
week.

Mr. John Thompson, of South Web-
ster, Ohio, paid the NEWS office a call
Saturday.

Miss Lucille Clay, who has a music
class at Inez, came Saturday to visit
home folks.

Mrs. H. C. Sullivan went to Sclon-
ville, O., Tuesday to visit her daughter,
Mrs. Jack Fox.

Mrs. Wm. See and Mrs. Charley
Haws, of Walbridge, were shopping in
Louisa Monday.

Mrs. Lucy McTymonds, of Clifford,
visited friends and relatives in Louisa
the first of the week.

Mrs. Esther Chafin, of Logan, W. Va.,
is the guest of the family of her son-
in-law, Prof. J. B. McClure.

Mrs. Belle G. Foster, of Chicago, was
expected here Thursday as the guest
of Miss Matilda Wallace.

Mrs. Jas. M. Bromley and children
of Huntington, W. Va., are visiting the
family of Rev. S. F. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. William McDyer re-
turned from Cincinnati last week. Mrs.
McDyer returned to Frankfort Mon-
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Mrs. Sparks, of Frankfort, Ind., is
visiting the family of her brother-in-
law and sister, Rev. Newell Young and
wife.

Miss Elizabeth Osborn, who is a
teacher in the Williamson, W. Va., city
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Chas. V. Abbott and wife, of Cut-
tletsburg, were here over Sunday visit-
ing their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A.
Abbott.

Mrs. Elizabeth Y. Eldridge left Wed-
nesday for Zanesville, O., where she
will have a good position in a large
millinery store.

Molasses
In sealed sanitary cans. Finest for table use
and baking. Ask your grocer for it. Send
postal card for booklet of Prize Recipes to
P. DUFF & SONS
920 Duquesne Way, Pittsburgh, Pa.

ATTENTION INVESTORS!!
100 Houses Needed at
Once in Kenova

To accommodate the families coming with two new factories locating at Ke-
nova 100 new houses are NEEDED AT ONCE. Investors,

This Is An Opportunity
To Make An Investment
That Will Bring Extremely
Tempting Returns.

Such is the demand for houses at this growing industrial center that on a to-
tal investment of \$1000 to \$1200 you will be able to show

A NET INCOME OF TWELVE PER CENT

and as new factories are constantly being interested in locating here, to take
advantage of the excellent facilities for transportation, and on account of
the close proximity to both raw material supplies, markets, and cheap fuel,
undoubtedly you should have no trouble in continuing this rate of income in-
definitely. As an additional inducement to investors this company will for
one year collect rents free.

All those who wish to make such investments, or to have further information
about Kenova and its prospects, are requested to address

Kenova-Huntington Land Co.
M. Broh, Managing Director

Kenova, W. Va.

Mrs. Dorcas Snyder, accompanied by
her son, T. J. Snyder, and her grand-
daughter, Miss Sallie Burns, went to
Rinton Sunday.

Elder C. M. Summers, a former pas-
tor of the Christian church, this city,
but now of Stone, Pike-co., was here in
few hours Saturday.

Mr. Chas. Ryan, of Thurmond, West
Va., was here Sunday. He was em-
ployed on the construction of the C.
& O. bridge at Walbridge.

Mr. T. J. Phillips, who is the chief
engineer of a large coal operation near
Clarksville, W. Va., was here for a
short time this week visiting his fam-
ily.

John R. Vaughan went to Huntington
Saturday to visit relatives and was
accompanied home by his wife and
child who had been visiting their par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Thornburg, for
several days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Pierce returned
Friday from a very pleasant stay of
two months in Clearwater, Florida.
They stopped in Cincinnati for short
visit to their daughter, Miss Eliza, who
is attending school in that city.

Major W. O. Johnson, U. S. A., is
here visiting his mother, Mrs. Zara
Johnson. The Major went to Jenkins-
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We have the very latest in dress goods of all
kinds, from calicoes to fine silks, white goods and
curtain goods, fine crochet threads of all kinds and
colors.

We think we are safe in saying we have the
finest line of embroideries and laces that has been
on display in this city for a long time.

We have the exclusive sale in Louisa for the
JACKSON CORSETS and the noted line of HAM-
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Don't forget our Groceries. We keep full and
fresh lines of all kinds of good things to eat.

We are prepared to supply your needs in any
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A. L. BURTON,

Woman's World

Newly Elected Treasurer of
New York State Suffrage Party.

A POPULAR DESIGN.

Jersey Cloth Is in the Lead Both
For Street Wear and Sports.



MISS OGDEN MILLS REED.

"Ever since I was a girl at Barnard college," says Mrs. Reed, "I have had the feeling that life outside the home was incomplete without woman's direct contribution to the making of public affairs. This is an age of specialization, and if women specialize in anything it is in sense of the value of human life."

"This idea of conserving life as the best investment any state can make is needed in political affairs. I believe in all the other arguments for enfranchising women, but this seems to me the most urgent. Woman's own specialties, those things which make up her peculiar province, such as guardianship of home and children and her better knowledge of housekeeping, are needed to make up a good world for men and women just as much as man's knowledge of business and finance is needed. Men have surely realized that women have had success in their own province. Why should they deny the world the value of this special skill? This great mass of influence and expert knowledge could be used for mankind. It should so be used."

Born in Appleton, Wis., Mrs. Reed is a true western woman. She has the point of view which sees the United States as stretching from coast to coast and not as a thin line along the Atlantic seaboard. As one who has herself been a wage earning woman she believes in woman's economic independence. "I certainly hope my daughter will have this same wholesome experience, for I believe every girl should be given the chance to earn her own living," she says.

She voices the newer call for woman's political freedom not alone because women are denied a privilege when the ballot is withheld from them, but because the world needs the enfranchisement of its women and because politics as well as domestic life needs her point of view.

Spring Gown.

Blouses formed of net, either used singly or double, are most charmingly dainty. They are severely tailored or made with ruffles and frills.

Chiffon hem on faille frocks are finished with overlapping folds of the faille.

An oblong pleat edged piece of chiffon was attached to the underside of the seams of a dark blue faille and chiffon frock.

Sleeves are full below the elbow and in many cases flowing, with under sleeves that are often of extreme daintiness.

How are the women of spring to disguise themselves—for during the winter it was a wise husband who could recognize his wife at a little distance. The chin-chin collar hid her chin and mouth, while the small, close fitting hat hid all her hair and even oblique one eye. So, given one eye, one had to recognize one's fashionable friends. Of course, if feet and ankles areividly enough—and, goodness knows, some are—one had a generous view of the latter.

Corsets continue to hug the waist, are still short on the hips and the bust remains medium in height. Even if the waist is to be smaller do not order a smaller corset to obtain this effect, for it will not only not wear well, but will be uncomfortable. The same effect can be obtained by getting a corset of your own size that is cut to fit in at the waist.

Fashion Hint.

Evening dresses are sleeveless! Some times the sleeves are mere wisps, "the true, but yet they cover to an extent" miliad's pretty shoulders and make them even prettier for the ceiling. A few evening dresses will be sleeveless, but they will be the exception. The 1800 drop shoulder is also forcing itself upon fashionable notoriety, and a few extreme evening gowns show its charming lines.

Shrimp Salad.

Chop shrimp with celery, if large, and add a little onion. Mix in a salad dish and pour over it mayonnaise made very thin and garnish with sliced boiled eggs, sliced lemon, lettuce and celery tops. It may be served on lettuce leaves if preferred.

The
Chenoworth
BaronetcyIt Was Lost and Was
Revived

By F. A. MITCHEL

When James Chenoworth, having lost both father and mother, decided to sell the homestead and go abroad for awhile he sat himself down to examine a large number of papers that had been accumulating for many years. Indeed, there were documents among them that dated back more than two centuries. There was a tradition in the family that the first Chenoworth in America had been a soldier of King Charles under Prince Imperial and, when the Protector Cromwell prevailed, had come to America to make a new home for himself.

The family documents were kept in what was called a hair trunk, from being covered with the skin of some animal from which the hair had not been removed. James Chenoworth spent many hours over the contents of the trunk, reading the papers. In time he took up a paper which he unfolded. It was a fragment yellow with age. The ink was also faded and almost illegible. James put it in his pocket, intending to try to decipher it later, for words in it which he could easily read seemed to refer to his ancestors. What he ultimately made out was this:

"At the beginning of the parliamentary wars James Chenoworth, son and heir of Sir Ralph Chenoworth, went to fight for the king. His brother, Arthur, two years his the parliamentary forces. brothers were enough. At the end of the war having been lost, went to America. His home and When the Chenoworth James. worth Cheno

Chenoworth resolved that during his travels he would visit England and hunt up his ancestral record. Placing the fragment in his portemonnaie, he made his preparations and in due time went abroad. At a hotel in Switzerland, where he found a mixture of English and Americans, he fell in with an English family named Smithson.

The main attraction in this family was Miss Gladys Smithson, a girl about twenty years old. Both she and Chenoworth were fond of winter sports, and they were where they could enjoy them to perfection. Miss Smithson was the only child of her parents, and Chenoworth learned that through her mother she was an heiress. Since he possessed an income of barely \$2,000 a year, he repressed any desire he felt to make love to the young lady.

This was fortunate, for Miss Smithson's mother, who had an interest in her daughter's adding to rather than dividing her prospective fortune, not suspecting that there was any especial interest between the two young persons, made no objection to their being together, and when they separated she invited Chenoworth when he came to England to call upon them at their home in that country.

Perhaps neither Chenoworth nor Miss Smithson realized the delicate bond that had been slowly forming between them till the moment of separation came. Gladys gave him her hand at parting, and he held it just a trifle longer than at an adieu between mere friends. Miss Smithson looked at the floor. Chenoworth looked into her face, then released her hand and turned away.

He met many young women on his travels, but none of them caused him to banish from a spot near to his heart the image of Miss Smithson. He had planned a trip to Russia, but, bearing in his memory the image of his companion in Switzerland, he shrunk from a visit to that cold country and resolved to forego the trip and give himself more time in England.

When Chenoworth arrived in London he sent his card to the Smithsons at their ancestral home in the county of Kent, with the result that he received an invitation to visit them for a week end. As he was driven into the place between two imposing gateway pillars and up to the manor house, through an avenue arched with trees that had been hundreds of years growing, his heart sank within him, for he realized that an American with a beginning two thousand a year could never aspire to the hand of the girl who would inherit such a splendid home.

Whether Mrs. Smithson had discovered in her daughter a disposition to pine for Chenoworth and scented danger, certain it is that the mother received him without the cordiality he expected. Her daughter, on the contrary, welcomed him with a mingling of pleasure and embarrassment.

During his brief visit there were moments of exquisite pleasure for both him and Gladys, succeeded by moments of depression. There was a union of hearts, but they were constantly reminded that any other union was impossible.

When Chenoworth was making this visit, one afternoon while Gladys was engaged, he was entertained by her mother. He mentioned the fact that his ancestors had come from England and his discovery of the fragment among his family papers. The lady was doing some kind of knitting while

he was talking to her, on which she kept her eyes, but Chenoworth noticed that as he passed from one point to another she was becoming deeply interested. Finally she asked abruptly to see the fragment to which he had referred. Taking it from his pocket, he handed it to her.

For some time her eyes were bent upon it, while the American's were bent upon her. Evidently there was something in this bit of yellow paper, torn in half, that moved her profoundly. She handed it back to him without remark, but he noticed a slight tremor of her hand as she did so. Presently, evidently nervously herself to something, she asked:

"Mr. Chenoworth, do you intend to look up your ancestry while in England?"

She awaited his reply with suppressed emotion.

"That is my intention," he replied. "But I don't know where to begin."

There was no reply to this. Later Miss Smithson repented, and the two young persons went out into the grounds together.

Chenoworth was to return to London the next morning. What was his surprise before going to bed to be asked by Mrs. Smithson to remain longer. He replied that nothing stood in the way of his doing so, and his departure was deferred. Mrs. Smithson's treatment of him seemed to be undergoing a change, though she did not seem to have made up her mind with regard to his intentions to her daughter. On the second day after her interview with him during which he had showed her the fragment she asked him to let her see it again. He did so, and she asked him if he would object to giving her a copy of it. He at once complied with her request.

The next day Mrs. Smithson announced that she must go to London to do some shopping. She charged her daughter to take good care of the guest during her absence, which was entirely unnecessary, for it was evident that Miss Gladys was as much enamored of Chenoworth as he was with her. The lovers were in a seventh heaven during the mother's absence, which lasted several days.

Chenoworth was puzzled. Why did Mrs. Smithson leave him with her daughter during this interval? Why had she changed in her treatment of him? There was no explanation. On her return the mystery deepened. She would not hear of Chenoworth's departure, saying that she was planning some social functions at which she desired his presence.

Chenoworth was beside himself. His attentions to Gladys were very noticeable, and her mother was encouraging them. She had no information concerning his standing in America nor as to his income, which, it was evident from his careful expenditures, was not large. Why, then, was she giving him every opportunity to win her daughter when that daughter might make a very advantageous match?

Chenoworth was anxious to hunt up the records of his ancestry, and he realized that to do this he must go to London. Gladys had told him that he had better go to an office of heraldry. But whenever he proposed to depart Mrs. Smithson objected, and he deferred his going.

And so it was that Chenoworth kept putting off his departure until one evening, while out on the terrace with Gladys, under the moonlight, he told her that he loved her, but he knew that owing to his limited means a marriage with her was impossible.

Then they conferred together upon what Mrs. Smithson meant by encouraging this match, but as neither of them knew they simply wondered. It was finally agreed between them that Chenoworth should learn what was in store for them by asking for Gladys' hand.

He approached Mr. Smithson with doubt and fear. He was given to understand that if he was acceptable to the daughter he would be acceptable to the parents. This thrilled him, and he went to Gladys with the good news at once. At a subsequent interview he gave Mr. Smithson a statement of his financial affairs, to which the gentleman listened with respectful attention, but made no comment. If Chenoworth's mind had not been taken up with love, curiosity would have come in to claim his share of attention.

Chenoworth did not leave the manor house till he departed on his wedding journey. When he returned he was saluted by his mother-in-law and every one else as Sir James. When the first excitement attending the couple's return had worn off Chenoworth was informed of what had been going on during his courtship.

Mrs. Smithson had inherited her estate through the female branch of Chenoworths. She was aware that the heir to the title had two centuries before disappeared in America. On receipt of a copy of Chenoworth's fragment she had taken it to a herald of fice in London, and they had given her the following reading of it when complete:

"At the beginning of the parliamentary wars James Chenoworth, son and heir of Sir Ralph Chenoworth, went to fight for the king. His brother, Arthur, two years his junior, joined the parliamentary forces. The two brothers were enough alike to be twins. At the end of the war, the king's cause having been lost, James Chenoworth went to America. Arthur returned to his home and succeeded to the title. When the restoration came James Chenoworth had died, leaving a son, John. The sons of James Chenoworth are the rightful heirs to the Chenoworth title and estates."

Mrs. Smithson's action was explained. By taking James Chenoworth for son-in-law she revived the baronetcy and secured for her daughter the estates which were legally his.

Kentuckian Robbed

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 17.—Word reached here that Edward Noland, who recently had been awarded \$11,000 for damages sustained in a railroad accident, had been robbed of almost the entire amount at his home near Lubensky, Ky., last night.

Noland had just collected the money, and after paying his attorney had taken it home with him and placed it under his pillow. He and his family were chloroformed while asleep, the report says.

If he had put his money in our Bank he would not have lost it.

Augustus Snyder, Pres.
Dr. L. H. York, V. Pres.
M. F. Conley, Cashier.
G. R. Burgess,
Asst. Cashier.

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BANK

Dr. T. D. Burgess
F. H. Yates
Robt. Dixon
R. L. Vinson.

TORCHLIGHT.

Sunday school at this place is progressing nicely.

Miss Ardath Chapman of Potter is the guest of Mrs. Carl Compton this week.

Miss Virginia Marcum and Miss Ardath Chapman are expected to leave soon for Nashville, Tenn., where they will spend a few weeks.

Miss Eleanor Simpson and Miss Eunice Marcum are going to Pritchard, W. Va., where they will spend a few days.

Staley Simpson was in Louisville Sunday.

E. E. McClure and Dan Simpson were visiting aunt Sarah McClure Sunday.

L. B. Lawrence was in Louisville Monday.

Miss Virginia Marcum took dinner with Miss Ardath Chapman Sunday.

Miss Ardath Chapman took supper with Miss Virginia B. Marcum Monday.

Mrs. E. E. McClure is moving in the house recently vacated by Carl Compton.

Dr. F. D. Marcum is still improving and we all hope for his entire recovery.

Dr. and Mrs. F. D. Marcum were

calling at Mrs. R. C. Simpson's Sunday.

Miss Ardath Chapman spent Friday night with Miss Eunice Marcum.

Every one was sorry to hear of the death of Charles Hughes. We all sympathize with his family.

Miss Virginia Marcum spent Friday night with Miss Eleanor Simpson.

Mrs. R. C. Simpson left Friday for Ohio where she will visit her son.

Miss Ardath Chapman and Virginia Marcum were calling on Eleanore Simpson Wednesday night.

The chemical plant is expected to be in operation soon. SWEET MARIE.

MEADS BRANCH.

Ambrose Austin, who is employed in Indiana, is visiting home folks.

Mrs. J. A. Stewart, who has been sick

is improving.

Miss Neel Stewart, who has been

visiting her sister at Nolan, W. Va.,

was called home Sunday night by the illness of her mother.

Martha Moore of Mattle, is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Johnson.

Miss Nick Judd was visiting Mrs. J. Stewart Monday.

Carry Austin and Garret Miller were the pleasant guests of Myrtle Stewart Sunday.

TOM AND HELEN.

BARGAINS IN
DOORS & SASH

We have a lot of doors and sash not included in the recent sale of our merchandise stock. We want to sell them out as soon as possible. Any quantity you may want, at extremely low prices.

Snyder Hdwe. Co.

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KENTUCKY

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Come To Huntington During Style Week

Tuesday, March 14 to Saturday March 18

PROCLAMATION

Knowing no occasion which offers better opportunity than the present for the extension of Huntington's proverbial hospitality, and for the display of her many advantages as a merchandising center, and feeling that a more widespread knowledge of these advantages will be of mutual benefit both to Huntington and the territory which surrounds it, I, Edmund Sehon, Mayor of the city of Huntington, do hereby officially designate Tuesday, March 14th, to Saturday, March 18th, 1916, inclusive, as **STYLE WEEK** for for Huntington.

And I do hereby request that it be observed by all business houses with adequate displays of their seasonable merchandise, by all amusement enterprises with specially attractive program, by all organizations and individuals with united efforts to extend a warm and hearty welcome to the visitors—the stranger within our gates.

It is our hope that all may learn Huntington hospitality and enterprise go hand in hand; that opportunities to be found in Huntington are equal to the finest in the land, whether they be for religious or educational progress, for the formation of personal friendships, or for buying or selling.

Given under my hand, and the Seal of the City of Huntington, this 9th day of March, 1916.

EDMUND SEHON, Mayor.

Everything For Men, Women, Or Children

from shoes, hosiery and underwear to the most elaborate costume for madame and the best looking and most serviceable suits for gentlemen.

THIS WILL INDEED BE A GALA WEEK. DON'T MISS IT. SPEND SEVERAL DAYS HERE. MAKE THIS YOUR SPRING VACATION. NOTE THE MANY AMUSEMENT ATTRACTIONS.

The Huntington Chamber of Commerce

Huntington, W. Va.

The Huntington Business Men's Association

PIKE COUNTY NEWS

The stormy March is come at last, With wind, and cloud, and changing skies; I hear the rushing of the blast, That through the snowy valley flies. —Bryant.

TIE PRICES RAISED.

Mr. Adam Venters of Regina, this county, the well known cross the merchant for the C. & O. and Pennsylvania system, last week announced an increase of three cents in the price of ties, the quotations now being 46 and 55 stacked on the right-of-way, and 48 and 58 loaded on the car. Mr. Venters has spent two months at hard work trying to secure a better price for the producers of ties in the Sandy Valley, and the success of his efforts was announced by telegram from Richmond. He spent last Saturday and Sunday at Pikeville and left Monday morning for Jenkins and other points in the territory. He also went to Dante, Va., this week on his usual round of business and expects to return here today or tomorrow.

Mr. Venters firmly believes the B. & O. intends to open its grade work this spring if the diplomatic discussion between the U. S. and Germany can be settled definitely without the possibility of war. Railroads are in no position to build during war times, he said, because all business is then demoralized. With the settlement of the submarine dispute he thinks the B. & O. will begin its grade work on the route to Shely.

CAMP FIRE CLUB.

The Camp Fire Club, which is an organization among the girls of Pikeville College, is now doing some splendid work under the direction of Miss Alice Johnston, its organizer. The following account of its work and purpose was contributed by one of its youngest members.

Some of the girls of Pikeville College have recently organized a Camp Fire Group, which is an organization of girls and women to develop the home spirit, promote happy social life and wholesome athletics. It has beautiful ceremonies and bases rank and honor on personal attainment. There are attractive ceremonial customs, honor beads and decorations. Many of the girls in the local Camp Fire have already completed the honors which entitle them to first rank, which is "Wood-Gatherer." Weekly meetings of social and ceremonial nature are held at the homes of the different members. The present members are:

Misses Stella Ratcliff, Elizabeth Sowards, Elizabeth Daves, Besale Owen, Bessie Riddle, Lottie Mae Rogers, Nancy Pauley, Minerva Scott, Sallie Vicars, Mary Elizabeth Michael, Thelma Morgan and Josephine Bowles.

FLANERY CASE RESULTS IN HUNG JURY.

A hung jury was the result of the trial of W. E. Flanery, former County Superintendent of Schools, charged with the killing of Dr. L. Q. Thornbury.

The case was opened in the Pike Circuit Court last Wednesday, with a long list of witnesses present and also a brilliant array of legal counsel on both sides. After the speeches of six of the attorneys the court delivered the case to the jury with instructions shortly before noon Saturday. At the close of the day the jury had not reached a decision, and they were held over Sunday in the hopes that they would make up a verdict. On Monday morning, however, the foreman announced that no decision had been reached, and the jury was discharged. The case will be held for trial again at the May term, and Mr. Flanery was released under bond of \$5,000.

OWENS STORE TAKES TRIVETTE STAND.

The general store of Patrick Owens on College-st. will be moved at once to the stand on Main-st. formerly occupied by the Trivette Grocery Co., the latter having been moved to the new I. O. O. F. building on Second-st. Mr. Owens has been rearranging and improving his new stand this week.

JENKINS TEAM PLAYED TWO GAMES HERE.

The Y. M. C. A. team of Jenkins came here last Friday to play two games of basketball with Pikeville teams. The first game was played Friday afternoon with the high school team. The result of this game was disastrous for the Jenkins men, the score at the close reading 49 to 24 in favor of the high school team. The Y. M. C. A. team has held a splendid record for the season, and it is said this is the first game that they had lost with a foreign team, though they had several times engaged the Huntington teams and others of high reputation.

The second game took place Saturday morning in the high school Gym with the team of Pikeville College playing Jenkins. In the first half of this game a splendid lead was held by the College men, who were inferior both in weight and practice, though they put up some splendid playing, led by their coach, Prof. Westlund. This game ended 21 to 16 in favor of Jenkins, but unfair methods are charged to them in regaining their losses. During the intermission between the first and second halves it is claimed the Jenkins boys decided to get Prof. Westlund out of the game, he being a man of small stature and perhaps the best player on the College team. During the second half he was twice "shugged" and fell to the floor and had to be carried into the open air. Several spectators who saw what happened came down to the floor

in a very wrathful spirit, and trouble was narrowly averted.

The Jenkins boys were kindly received and well treated here, and their conduct was a very great surprise to their hosts.

This closes the basketball season for Pikeville this year since the baseball season will soon open.

NEW REVIVAL OPENS.

On next Tuesday a series of revival meetings will be opened in the First Methodist Episcopal Church to continue indefinitely. The pastor, Rev. M. C. Reynolds, will conduct these meetings and he will be assisted by Rev. William Davenport, the District Superintendent, also by Rev. Wade Rowe, pastor of the Pikeville Circuit, and Rev. J. H. Anderson, pastor of the Methodist church of Ashland.

Rev. McElroy Here.

The revival which has been in progress at the M. E. Church, South, during the past month has been well attended, and many times the large church auditorium was crowded to the limit of its capacity. This was the case last Sunday evening. Rev. L. E. McElroy, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, of Louisa, has been preaching in this revival during the past week, and the some services under the leadership of Prof. L. P. Kirk of Inez is a very interesting feature of these meetings. All singers are cordially invited to attend and lend their assistance.

The night sessions of Circuit Court have been discontinued for the sake of the meeting.

COUNTY'S FINANCES IN GOOD CONDITION.

County Judge H. H. Stallard last Monday gave some idea of the excellent condition of the financial condition of Pike-co., when he said that the county is free from debt and that there is a sufficient fund in the treasury to pay this county's part for the building of the new Interstate bridge across the Tug river near Williamson, and still there would be a surplus left. By a financial standing, and if there are any claims now outstanding they will be paid promptly upon presentation in full. This, however, does not include the debt of the school fund for the building of the new high school; but there is ample time on this claim, and it will also be met with ease.

Judge Stallard has no doubt that at the coming May election for the issuing of bonds for good roads in Pike county the people will vote overwhelmingly for the bond issue since no increase in taxation will be necessary to pay off the bonds as they mature. He has already received letters from applicants who want to buy these bonds.

In common with other leading citizens he has been very active in getting the movement started which will without doubt result in giving to this county the advantage of a perfect roads system. Behind him are the will and wishes of the people for the success of the enterprise.

MC COY TRIAL POSTPONED.

The trial of Polly McCoy, charged with the poisoning of her husband on Coon creek last fall, will not be heard at this term of the Circuit Court but has been set for the May term. Mrs. McCoy has been released under bond pending the trial.

Coon McCoy was found dying by neighbors who heard his calls for aid at his home one morning last fall. It was said that he had taken a drink from a bottle of whisky to which a large quantity of strichnina had been added. He lived only for a brief time after taking the fatal draught, and a post mortem examination of the stomach, which was taken from the body and sent to Bowling Green, established the fact that death was the result of the poisoning.

PRESTONSBURG CITIZENS LIKE PIKEVILLE CHURCHES.

The M. E. Church, South of Prestonsburg is preparing to put up new church building on the George Archer property an upper Second-st. opposite the property of Col. Jack Davidson. This is to be a handsome brick structure, and the site for it will be donated by the church by Mr. Archer, the banker. A delegation of Prestonsburg citizens came to Pikeville Wednesday among other things to look at the church buildings of Pikeville in order to get the best ideas of the architecture of the churches of this city to be embodied in the new church at Prestonsburg.

Hon. W. S. Harkins, attorney F. A. Hopkins, Walter Wells, Will Jones and the Rev. Mr. Jackson, pastor of the church, were among the delegation. They were impressed with the exterior of the M. E. Church, South, but the acoustic arrangement of the interior of the First M. E. Church seems to have held the favor of the delegation. They also looked at the new high school building before departing.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Dr. J. W. Stephenson made a professional trip to Huntington last week and returned early this week.

Rev. D. Keel and Matt Sanders went to Prestonsburg last Friday as witnesses in the Huff murder trial.

Attorney J. J. Moore returned late week from Frankfort.

F. W. Day expects to have his new house on College-st. finished within a very few days.

C. M. Jackson of Ashland was here for several days recently.

Mrs. Lucy Culberson of Jenkins has been the guest of friends and relatives at Pikeville during the past week.

The Sandy Valley Construction Co. is the name of a new contracting firm which has recently located at Pikeville. L. C. Smith, who was for a long while connected with the Consolidation Coal Co., at Jenkins, with other business associates, are the members of this firm.

Attorney A. E. Auxler was in Huntington for a few days last week.

L. D. Polley, merchant of Millard,

this county, was here Saturday. Attorney Durand Tackitt of Vicksburg was here last week attending the Circuit Court.

It is understood from local contractors that a large amount of building will go forward here this summer. Some valuable contracts have already been awarded for business and dwellings, and before the close of the year Pikeville's size will have been materially increased.

Rev. M. C. Reynolds, who was laid up all of last week with a very severe attack of grippe, was able to be out early this week.

Former County Judge John W. Ford was in town last Saturday.

George W. Gray, who has recently spent much time in the principal cities of West Virginia, returned to Pikeville last Monday. Mr. Gray is proprietor of the new hotel Jefferson.

The street sweeper made a feeble attempt to clean up the streets for the first time in several weeks a few days ago.

T. N. Hoffman and little son made a brief visit to Louisville last Monday and returned by the night train of the same day.

Filmore Addington, one of the plaintiffs in a suit against the Consolidation Coal Co., involving more than a million dollars' worth of property at Jenkins, passed through Pikeville last Monday on his way to Virginia. The case is pending in the Federal Court at Cattlettsburg.

Gallo Friend and Jeff Davis, Yellow Poplar Lumber Co. men from Clintwood, Va., were here for their company Tuesday.

Editor W. L. Morris of the Pike County News went to Paintsville last Thursday on business.

Attorney James Salisbury of Prestonsburg was here one day this week.

Uncle Miles Coleman of Mossy Bottom was at Pikeville on legal business Wednesday.

Judge Vaughan is holding court this week.

Miss Maude Simms has returned home from Bowling Green, where she has been attending school.

Mrs. Bob Cains left this morning for Shely where she will join her husband.

attending the Howling Green Business College, has returned home. She has been chosen official court stenographer by Judge Bailey.

Mr. Henry Patrick of Prestonsburg, was in Paintsville yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Bayes are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Hazlewood in Louisa this week.

Frank W. Hager has accepted a position as traveling salesman for the Greenbaum Clothing company of New York, and will start traveling at once.

Mrs. H. C. McCann, of Ohio, is visiting her father, Rev. H. H. Conley, and sister, Mrs. Grover Crider.

Mrs. Kidd Mayo, from Prestonsburg, was here this week visiting Mrs. Fred Atkinson.

Mr. Geo. Atkinson of Salyersville is here the guest of his grandmother over Sunday.

Judge A. J. Kirk was in Pikeville this week on legal business.

Miss Ruth Leslie passed through Paintsville from Barnett's creek where she has been visiting her sister. After a week's visit to relatives in Greenup, she will go to her home in Virginia.

Mr. Ray Middleton of Wayland is the guest of Miss Sylvia Preston for the week end.

C. & O. brakeman, R. E. Long, left this morning for the C. & O. hospital at Huntington, W. Va. He has been in poor health for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Long have been in Paintsville for some time and their many friends will regard very much to see them go. However we extend to them our best wishes and hope Mr. Long's health will soon be better.

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MORGAN'S CREEK.

The sick of our community are some better.

Johnie Diamond passed up our creek Monday.

Church was largely attended at this place Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Clark, a fine boy.

Tom Murphy has returned from a visit in Virginia.

Miss Goldie B. Newsome entertained quite a large crowd of her friends Sunday.

John Hall and Walter Hughes are expected to have soon.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Sparks' baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Neut McGuire left Monday for Rose Siding, W. Va.

Lindsey Browning passed up our creek Sunday.

Miss Lambard of Kenova has been visiting on this creek.

Henry Hughes passed down our creek Friday evening to Louisa.

The writing school at this place is doing fine.

George Jordan has moved on the land of M. Stumbo's.

THE CUNILEY HEADED GIRL.

Complying with the Proclamation of the Mayor of the city all our merchants will have their Spring Opening Displays at this time, and it will be a period of celebration in merchandising the equal of which has never before taken place in the city. Think of every establishment in the city presenting its

Most Beautiful Display Of Spring Merchandise

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